

# REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register: 06 December 2001  
 Name of applicant/court: The Film and Video Labelling Body Inc.  
 Applicant to the Labelling Body: Video Wholesalers Ltd  
 Title of Publication: Extreme Close Up Tia Bella  
 Other Known Titles: Tia Bella Extreme Close-Up  
 Tia Bella: Extreme Close-Up 3  
 Director: Paul Thomas  
 Producer: Paul Thomas  
 Publisher: Not Applicable  
 Author: Not Applicable  
 Format: Video Recording VHS/PAL  
 Country of Origin: USA  
 Language: English

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**Components of film originally examined:**

Feature:	Extreme Close Up Tia Bella	Running time:	85.49
Trailers:	Safe Sex Notice	Running time:	1.03
	Video Wholesalers Notice		1.00
	Copyright Warning Notice		0.11
	Facade		1.27
	Dark Angels		2.36
	Up And Cummers #84		1.55
	The 4 Finger Club #9		2.08
	Buttman's Rio Carnival Hardcore		2.05
	The Collector		2.00
	Debbie Does Iowa		2.04

Total Running time: 102.18

Excision/Alteration: No Excisions Recommended.

Reason(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

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Classification Decision:

Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years.

Display Conditions:

Nil.

Descriptive Note:

Contains explicit sex scenes.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: 05 December 2001

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**SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:**

The publication entitled *Extreme Close Up Tia Bella*, also known as *Tia Bella Extreme Close-Up* and *Tia Bella: Extreme Close-Up 3*, is classified as:  
Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years.

The publication is a video recording with eleven moving components including a feature entitled *Extreme Close Up Tia Bella* that has a running time of 85 min 49 sec. The DVD version of this feature, with a running time of 74 min 13 sec, has been classified previously by the Office of Film and Literature Classification (OFLC No.101082). In this case the publication was classified objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years and assigned the descriptive note "Contains explicit sex scenes". This decision was registered on 12 September 2001. The video recording feature appears identical to the fore-mentioned DVD feature with the extra running time due to some scenes being looped and replayed. The extra material on the video recording includes eight trailers that contain more dehumanising images than those seen in the feature. However due to their brevity they are not of an extent or degree that will alter the above classification.

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